NOTICE OF GRANT AVAILABILITY

NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:

Public Information

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

SEC 301(A) 317, Public Health Service Act as Amended, New Jersey Statute 26:5 c-1 et seq.

GRANT PROGRAM NO. 06-17-AIDS **TYPE OF AWARDS TO BE ISSUED:**

Cost-reimbursement Grants Letters of Agreement

PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS WILL BE USED:

To build general awareness and knowledge of HIV/AIDS through public information and education programs and multi-faceted awareness campaigns; to provide HIV/AIDS prevention and information through speakers bureau/toll free hotline services.

AMOUNT OF MONEY IN THE GRANT PROGRAM:

Approximately \$500,000 should be available in SFY 2006 to fund up to two awards. Grants range from \$70,000 to \$500,000. Awards will begin on or about July 1, 2005 and January 1, 2006, and will be made for a 12-month budget period. Funding estimates may vary and are subject to the Annual Appropriation Act. Continuation awards will be based on satisfactory progress and availability of funds. Applicants currently receiving grants for this activity and have performed satisfactorily will be given first priority for continued funding.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS MUST COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. Terms and Conditions for the Administration of Grants.
- 2. General and specific Grant Compliance requirements issued by the Granting Agency.
- 3. Applicable Federal Cost Principles relating to the Applicant.

GROUP OR ENTITIES WHICH MAY APPLY FOR THE GRANT PROGRAM:

Local government agencies, state agencies, non-profit corporations, community-based agencies.

QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED BY APPLICANT TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A GRANT:

Varies by grant.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Submit a concept paper to person listed below, delineating goals and objectives with tentative budget. Then based on availability of funds, a Request for Proposal (RFP) may be released by the Department to all eligible entities, including those who have submitted concept papers.

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DEADLINE BY WHICH APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED:

Varies by grant; usually four months prior to funding.

DATE BY WHICH APPLICANT SHALL BE NOTIFIED WHETHER THEY WILL RECEIVE FUNDS:

Varies by grant; usually two months prior to funding.